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## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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## Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$3,100,000.  
RESERVE FUND, \$3,100,000.  
PROFIT & LOSS, \$3,100,000.

CHINA MERCHANTS BANKING CORPORATION.  
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## Intimations.

MAGNIFICENT EXHIBITION OF SUPERB JAPANESE PORCELAIN, GOLD & SILVER INLAID BRONZES, EXQUISITE IVORY CARVINGS. All of the Highest Class. Brought direct from Japan by Mr. SEIEMON IKEDA of Kobe. Testimonials. From H.R.H. the Prince Albert of Wales, their Royal Highness The Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Several of the Princes of the Blood of the German and other Empires, whose Autographs can be inspected at the SHOW ROOM, 2, Duddell Street, which will be open to the Public, on MONDAY NEXT, the 8th Inst.

SEIEMON IKEDA, Proprietor, From Kobe-Japan. Hongkong, December 3, 1890. 2676

ST. ANDREW'S BALL. LOST—A DIAMOND SAFETY PIN. Was last seen fixed on one of the Plaids at the head of St. George's Hall. Also, a LACE HANDKERCHIEF. Suitable Rewards will be given (if necessary).

H. J. SCOTT, Hon. Secretary, St. Andrew's Society. Hongkong, December 3, 1890. 2076

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Undersigned is prepared to purchase at Current Market Rates. Persons holding the same are requested to apply at the Company's Office, No. 4, Praya Central.

EDWARD OSBORNE, Secretary. Hongkong, December 2, 1890. 2068

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE RIFLE COMPETITION for the Subscription CHALLENGE CUPS and RANGE SPOONS will take place on SATURDAY, the 6th Instant, commencing at 3.30 o'clock p.m. Range—500 and 600 Yards. 70 Shots at each range. Entrance Fee, 30 Cents. Entries to be made on or before FRIDAY, the 5th Instant. A Luncheon will leave the P. & O. Pier at 3 o'clock p.m.

C. VIVIAN LADDS, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, December 1, 1890. 2055

VICTORIA CHAPTER, No. 225. AN Emergency CONVOCACTION of the above CHAPTER will be held in the "MAGNETS" HALL, Zetland Street, on SATURDAY, the 6th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited.

Hongkong, December 2, 1890. 2060

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Second Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on SATURDAY, 6th December, 1890, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to 31st October, 1890.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th November until the 6th December, both days inclusive.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, November 20, 1890. 1989

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. RACE MEETING—1891. HONGKONG DERBY.

SWEETSTAKES of \$20 each. Half for 1st, 1st divided, or on tie day of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. For all China Ponies bred in the Colony at date of Entry (SATURDAY, 17th January, 1891). First—Pony, 70 per cent.; Second—Pony, 20 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. Weight 10st. 10lbs. One-mile-and-a-half. (NOMINATIONS CLOSE at the CLERK'S OFFICE at the Club on SATURDAY, the 27th December, 1890).

E. H. GORE-BOOTH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, November 21, 1890. 1907

ROUYER, GUILLET & Co., COGNAC, France. For Ten Years THE LARGEST SHIPPERS of BULK BRANDY.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS—DIRECT AS TO LONDON BRANCH, ROUYER, GUILLET & Co., 59, Mark Lane, London, E.C. 14th August, 1890. 1443

## Business Notices.

HAVE A FULL SUPPLY OF Wines, Spirits and Liquors OF ALL KINDS. ARE AGENTS for the "AYALA" CHAMPAGNE and "KIRIN" JAPANESE BEER, which they receive fresh at short intervals. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. also receive regularly PRESERVED PROVISIONS from the best packers. PRICE LISTS ON APPLICATION. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, November 22, 1890. 2001

MARINE HOTEL. THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that THE MARINE HOTEL is NOW OPEN. THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL is situated on the Praya West, opposite the Old P. & O. Wharf, and is newly built after the designs of the LARGEST EUROPEAN HOTELS—the BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commodious, well-ventilated and well-furnished, and are suitable for Single or Married Persons. THE DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour. The HOTEL is supplied with the best of the market can provide. The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and are fitted up in superior style. ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES. WINES AND LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied. JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor. 1437

NEW HATS. CHRISTY'S AND HEATH'S BLACK, BROWN AND GREY FELT HATS. DOUBLE AND SINGLE TERAI AND OTHER SOFT FELTS. BEST ENGLISH-MADE STRAW HATS. LADIES' FELT HELMETS, AND CALCUTTA PITH HATS, TWEED CAPS. ROBERT LANG & Co. Hongkong, July 28, 1890. 1824

Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well-ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unfurnished for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJI & RING KEE, Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1890. 1632

W. POWELL & Co. HAVE A SPLENDID SELECTION OF LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S JACKETS AND ULSTERS, With the NEW 'MEDICI' COLLAR. W. POWELL & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, November 29, 1890. 2046

Intimations. THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that the ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on SATURDAY, 6th December, at 2.30 p.m.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, November 26, 1890. 2017

THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given to Holders of the SHARES in the above Company, bearing the Numbers specified below that unless the Call of Fifteen Dollars per Share due on the 17th day of July 1890, be PAID together with INTEREST thereon at the Rate of 12 per cent. Annam from the said due date to the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, on or before the 17th day of December, 1890, the said Shares will be liable to be FORFEITED, and under the Provision of Section X, Subsection VIII of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Board will pass the necessary Resolution for the Forfeiture of the said Shares—Nos. 6/8, 127/146, 227/201, 327/3 6, 282/291, 402/441, 512/581, 927/1000, 1079/1 03, 1184/1193, 1199/1248, 1342/1366, 1527/15 6, 1727/18 6, 1817/1830, 1837/1 40, 1969/1930, 2017/2175, 2456/2525, 2771/2800, 2816, 825/2851/2900, 3141/3155, 3168/3190, 3276/3293, 3301/3305, 449/3505, 3601/3625, 3856/3885.

By Order of the Board of Directors, J. WHEELER, Secretary. Hongkong, November 20, 1890. 1002

THE HOTEL MARINA. THIS Strictly FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, now moored in the Harbour of Victoria, offers guests exceptional advantages for Entertainment and Refreshment. The avoidance of street noises and unwholesome odours, &c. Grand Promenade Deck, Airy Dining Room, Ladies' Parlor, Billiard and Reading Rooms, Commodious Bedrooms, with separate Bath-room and Verandah to each. The TABLE D'HOTE is unexcelled. The HOTEL is managed regularly to and from Packer's Wharf and the Hotel, Free of Charge—for Time Tables see Bills. Hongkong, July 23, 1890. 1407

CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS. English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware, Crystal & Co's. Crystal-Plated Ware. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in great variety. DIAMONDS AND DIAMOND JEWELLERY. A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Patterns, at very moderate prices. 742

THE REMBRANDT STUDIO. (Just behind The Hongkong Club). IS NOW OPEN. UNDER THE MANAGEMENT of Mr. R. DOUGLAS, a well-known and eminent Artist. PHOTOGRAPHS of all descriptions taken and really First-class and Artistic Work guaranteed. Hongkong, December 1, 1890. 2068

HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, Ltd. WINTER TIME TABLE (To take effect from 16th October). WEEK DAYS. 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. 12 noon to 1 p.m. " " " " 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. " " " " 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. " " " " 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. " " " " SATURDAYS. NIGHT TRAM from 10.30 p.m. to 11 p.m. SUNDAYS. CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 a.m. 12 noon to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 3 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. " " " " 9 p.m. to 10 p.m. 10.30 p.m. to 11 p.m. SPECIAL CARS may be obtained on application to the SUPERINTENDENT. Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; First-Class Coupons and Return Tickets at the Office. MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, October 14, 1890. 799

MAC'S AINE SPECIAL BLEND OF FINEST OLD VATTED SCOTCH WHISKY. Of unsurpassed body and exquisite and highly refined flavor. Price, \$10 per Case. Sole Agent, JOHN D. BUTCHISON. Hongkong, October 30, 1890. 1876

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 5th December, 1890, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, AN ASSORTMENT OF JAPANESE WARE, comprising—KANGA, IMARI, KOTO, TOKIO and SATSUMA VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, TEA and COFFER SETS and ORNAMENTS. GOLD and SILVER INLAID BRONZES, ENAMELED WARE, LAQUERED WARE and EDO-WARE. WALL PAPER, CARPETS and SOFAS. EMBROIDERIES, PAMPHLETS, SCREENS and KAKIMONOS. &c., &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, November 28, 1890. 2056

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the 9th day of December, 1890, at 2 p.m., on the Premises—(By Order of the Mortgagee), ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, Situate at YOWMATEE, and Registered in the LAND OFFICE, as KOWLOON INLAND LOT No. 216, together with the BUILDINGS thereon. After which, at the Same Time and Place, WILL BE SOLD SUNDRY MACHINERY, comprising—LATHING, DRILLING, PLANING and CUTTING MACHINES. CENTRIFUGAL WHEEL, DONKEY ENGINE and BOILER, PLATE ROLLING MACHINE, TOOLS, &c., &c. For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, November 22, 1890. 1944

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of December, 1890, at 2 p.m., at the MARINE HOTEL, Praya West, THE STOCK-IN-TRADE, FIXTURES, FURNITURE, WINES, &c., comprising—ONE CORNER-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, CHIMNEY GLASSES, PICTURES and ORNAMENTS. DINING ROOM TABLE, SIDEBOARD, CHEST-OF-DRAPES, VIENNA CHAIRS, LINEN CLOSET, GLASS AND PLATE WARE. BED-ROOM SUITES, comprising—DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON (STRETCHERS), SUNDRY WOODEN CHEST OF DRAWERS, BUREAU with GLASS, MARBLE-TOP TOILET TABLES and WASHSTANDS, TOILET TABLES with GLASSES and CHAMBER STANDS. ONE CUTTAGE PIANO, by GORE & KAMM. TWO FULL-SIZE THURSTON'S BILLIARD TABLES, Complete. ONE CHAIRS BILLIARD TABLE. ONE LARGE COOKING RANGE. BAR and BAR FIXTURES. SUNDRY WINES. &c., &c., &c. Catalogues will be issued. Terms of Sale.—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 2, 1890. 2063

NOTICES OF FIRMS. NOTICE is hereby given that LIU LAM (廖 廣 興) alias LIU PO TIN (廖 寶 田), late MANAGER of Messrs. ACHIE & Co., has now left the service. All Persons INDEBTED to the Firm are hereby requested to PAY their ACCOUNTS and MONIES, owing to the Firm to the Undersigned, and NOT to the above-named LIU LAM alias LIU PO TIN. CHAN LONG HIN, Manager. Hongkong, November 29, 1890. 2047

Intimations. WINDSOR HOUSE, HONGKONG. No. 8, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE, FAMILY HOTEL. This ESTABLISHMENT is situated in a most central position, opposite the Telegraph Office and two doors from the Oriented Bank. It offers FIRST-CLASS Accommodation to RESIDENTS and TRAVELLERS, has a Spacious DINING ROOM, and a large number of well-furnished BED-ROOMS with all comforts. A Good Table kept. TABLE D'HOTE—Breakfast, 8.30 a.m.; Dinner, 1 p.m.; Dinner, 7.30 p.m. Board by the Month, Day, or Single Meals, at reasonable rates. ARRANGEMENTS can be made to serve Meals in GENTLEMEN'S QUARTERS. CONTINENTAL LANGUAGES SPOKEN. Mrs. BOHM, Proprietress. Hongkong, August 30, 1890. 1682

MAC'S AINE SPECIAL BLEND OF FINEST OLD VATTED SCOTCH WHISKY. Of unsurpassed body and exquisite and highly refined flavor. Price, \$10 per Case. Sole Agent, JOHN D. BUTCHISON. Hongkong, October 30, 1890. 1876

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## To Let.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, Ltd. TO LET. THAT Suite of OFFICES on the First Floor of the Company's Premises in the above Office, or separate by as desired. For Full Particulars, apply to the MANAGERS at the Depot, or to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 27, 1890. 167

TO BE LET. THREE HOUSES at Wild Doll Building, Wanchai Road. A BUNGLOW and HOUSE on the Upper Richmond Road. No. 1 RICHMOND TERRACE, Six Dwelling Rooms, English Kitchen, Fowl House, Conservatory, and well shaded Tennis Lawn. Apply to HENRY HUMPHREYS. TO BE LET OR SOLD, On favorable terms, with Immediate Possession. EIGHT HOUSES at 'MOUNTAIN VIEW,' Peak District, near Plover's Gap. If sold, part of the Purchase money can remain on Mortgage. Apply to JOHN A. JUPP. 36, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, October 4, 1890. 1601

TO LET. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. OFFICES at No. 17, PRAYA CENTRAL (above Messrs. DOUGLAS LAFRAIR & Co.'s Premises). Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., Ltd. Hongkong, October 23, 1890. 1678

TO LET. NOS. 7, 9 & 11, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 4, Old Bailey Street. OFFICES and CHAMBERS in 'CONNAUGHT HOUSE,' Queen's Road Central. OFFICES in VICTORIA BUILDINGS. 'TUSCULUM,' MAGAZINE GAP. No. 3, GORDON HILL, The Peak—FURNISHED. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, Sons & Co. Hongkong, October 10, 1890. 93

TO LET. BLUE BUILDINGS. GROUND FLOOR OF NO. 2. FIRST FLOOR OF NO. 3. MAGAZINE GAP.—Two SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES. Rent, \$45 each. Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., Ltd. Hongkong, December 2, 1890. 2067

## Shipping.

Steamers. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (FLORENCE & RUBATTONI UNITED COMPANIES.) STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY. Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and GENOA. Also, MEDITERRANEAN, ADRIATIC, IONIAN and SOUTH AFRICAN Ports, up to CALAIS. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD.

The Co.'s Steamship, Diagon, G. ORENCO, Master, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 6th December, at Noon. At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in VICTORIA DOCK. For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Agents. Hongkong, November 29, 1890. 2042

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship, Sully, Capt. W. D. WOOLSTON, R.N., will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival here with the outward English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, December 2, 1890. 2064

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship, Ancona, Capt. W. D. WOOLSTON, R.N., will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival here with the outward English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, December 2, 1890. 2063

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship, Glenaryshire, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched as above on or about the 13th December. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, November 29, 1890. 2090

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship, Glenaryshire, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched as above on or about the 13th December. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, November 29, 1890. 2090

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## Shipping.

Steamers. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship, Titan, Captain LEWIS, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 5th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIR & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2072

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship, Titan, Captain BROWN, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 6th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, December 3, 1890. 2039

FOR SHANGHAI. The Steamship, Ningpo, Captain R. KOHLER, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 6th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co. Hongkong, December 3, 1890. 2070

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.) The Co.'s Steamship, Cyclops, Captain NIAN, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 6th Instant.



## Entertainments.

**VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT.**  
Under the distinguished Patronage and Presence of H. E. Hon. F. FLEMING, C.M.G., THE ACTING GOVERNOR;  
To be given in the  
**HALL OF THE CLUB LUSITANO**  
on **TUESDAY**, the 9th Inst., at 9 p.m.,  
In Aid of the Fund for an ORGAN for  
the ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL.

Director, M. ESTRO CATTEO.

## PROGRAMME:

1. Coro, "Kiani," by Lady and Gentlemen Amateurs.  
2. Aria for Soprano, "I Promessi Sposi," by Puchelli.  
3. Recitativo and Aria for Tenor, "L'Elisir d'Amore," by Apolloni.  
4. Polonaise for Piano, op. 68, by Chopin.  
5. a. "Forbidden Music," for Mezzo Soprano.  
b. Sequel to "Forbidden Music," for Mezzo Soprano.  
6. Grand Sonata and Aria della Pazzia, for Soprano, "L'Elisir d'Amore," by Donizetti.  
7. Grand Scena Drammatica, for Bass, "Don Carlos," by Verdi.  
8. Selection from "Maurice Strakosky," for Soprano, "It was a Knight," for Soprano, "The harp in the Air," and Angelus Chorus.

## SECOND PART:

1. Selection from "La Favorita," Duo for Mezzo Soprano and Tenor, "Chorus," and Pezzo Concertato with Chorus.  
2. Waltz for Mezzo Soprano, "Beautiful Hones," by Strauss.  
3. Duo for Soprano and Tenor, "Ray Blas," by Marchetti.  
4. Berceuse for Piano, op. 7, by Chopin.  
5. Waltz for Mezzo Soprano, "Glorie de Jeunesse," by Ardit.  
6. Torteito for Soprano, Mezzo-Soprano, and Baritone, "Yo," by Petrucci.  
7. Ballad for Tenor, "Il Segreto de la Regina," by Gualdon.  
8. Torteito and Pezzo Concertato, "Yo," by Petrucci.

## Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:

LOTHIAN, British barque, Capt. Thos. G. Evans—Gibb, Livingston & Co.  
MODOC, American barquentine, Capt. P. Bosch—Boy Chong.  
ST. NICOLAS, American ship, Capt. C. F. Carver—Douglas, Lapraik & Co.

## To-day's Advertisements.

## CITY HALL.

## NOTICE.

THE Annual General Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS in and SUBSCRIBERS to the above Institution will be held in the LIBRARY on THURSDAY, the 11th December, 1890, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

W. H. R. MOSSOP,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2031

## STEAMSHIP YANGTSE.

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Cambridge and Guadalupe, from Antwerp ex Steamship Guadalupe, and from Bordeaux ex Steamships Lyndard des Vignes and Pt. Leroy, Lallier, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Opium, Treasures and Valuable—being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon (Thursday), requesting it to be landed.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Thursday, the 11th December, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem.

All Claims must be made in no on or before the 13th December (SATURDAY), or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2073

## To-day's Advertisements.

## THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.

## THE FASHIONABLE EVENING REPERT.

THE WORD SUCCESS  
Has become a synonym for productions at the Theatre Royal, and it will be no surprise to the Public of Hongkong to learn the CONTINUED TRIUMPHANT SUCCESS OF STANLEY'S OPERA COMPANY.

For a Short Season only.

## TO-NIGHT (THURSDAY),

FOR THE LAST TIME IN HONGKONG, "SHE E."

## FRIDAY (By Request),

"LES CLOCHES DE CORNEVILLE."

Mr. F. FLETCHER in his Great Impersonation of Gaspard.

## SATURDAY,

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HONGKONG, The Grand Military 5 Act Drama of "HELD BY THE ENEMY."

Efficient Orchestra under the Conductorship of Mr. G. THOMAS.

Prices as Usual—\$2.00 and \$1.00.

Military and Naval half price to Back Seats only.

Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2079

## BRITISH MERCANTILE MARINE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION.

## NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

ORDINARY MEETINGS of this Association will be held, in future, at the New Head-quarters, of the opening of which Notice will be given at an early date.

CHESNEY DUNCAN,  
Hon. Secretary,  
B/O The Committee.

Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2084

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

## PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co's Steamship "Yangtze,"

Capt. LAURENCE, will be

despatched for the above

Ports TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), the 5th

Inst., at 7 a.m.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2077

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

## FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.

The Co's Steamship "Peking,"

Capt. ROSS, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 7th Inst., at

Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2082

## NOTICE.

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

## PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STREAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

COLOMBO, PONDICHERY,

MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ,

PORT SAID,

MEDITERRANEAN AND

BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA,

MARSEILLES, AND PORTS

OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;

ALSO

LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX.

ON THURSDAY, the 18th December,

1890, at Noon, the Company's

S.S. "MELBOURNE," Captain J. P. W.

with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE

and CARGO, will leave the Port for

the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and

accepted in transit through Marseilles for

the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till

Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4

p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m., on

the 17th December, 1890. (Parcels are not

to be sent on board; they must be left at

the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-

quired.

For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, December 4, 1890. 2083

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DAKIN'S EMULSION OF PURE COD LIVER OIL.

FOR Phthisis, Coughs, Scrofula,

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This is the same Emulsion with the addition

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Latest Novelties

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HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LD.

37 & 39, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. 2040

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Bombay & Ports of Call.	(S.)	Norddeutscher Lloyd.	Dec. 21, at 11 a.m.
Hankow, Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, Amoy, Swatow, & Ports of Call.	(S.)	Messageries Maritimes.	Dec. 21, at 11 a.m.
London & Ports of Call.	(S.)	Butterfield & Swire.	Dec. 21, at 11 a.m.
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London, November 19th.—The *Standard* and the *Star* state that Mr Parnell will retain his leadership of the Nationalist party. The *Freeman's Journal* says that the leadership of Mr Parnell is necessary to his party, and that his political position is in no way affected by the result of the O'Shea-Tinney split, and that the National

his party, and that the political crisis in  
in no way affected, and the result of the  
O'Brienism, and that the National  
League in Ireland and O'Brien in America  
will proclaim the fact. *The Pall Mall  
Gazette* says it is Mr Parnell's duty to re-  
sign his seat in Parliament, in order to  
enable the people of Ireland to express  
their opinion on his conduct.

A meeting of the National League took  
place in London yesterday, at which Mr  
Redmond, in the name of the party, scouted  
the idea of Mr Parnell retiring from public  
life, and said that the entire nation would  
support him.

DEATH OF LADY ROSEBURY.  
London, November 20th.—Lady Rose-  
bury, who appeared to be moribund, had a  
sudden relapse and died yesterday.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND IN ENGLAND.  
London, November 16.—The Bank of  
France has lent the Bank of England three  
millions sterling to tide over the present  
squeeze in the money market. *The Times*  
says that what might have been a more  
grave crisis in the City has been averted by  
the Bank of England and the other great  
houses coming to the assistance of one of  
the most important financial houses in  
London which is largely concerned in South  
American loans.

IT is reported from St. Petersburg that  
the Bank of England is negotiating a loan  
of a million and a half sterling from the  
Bank of Russia.

London, November 17th.—The newspaper  
in stating the financial crisis in the  
City agree that the danger which threatens  
the House of Baring Brothers is complete

having been subscribed, at which the House of England contributed one million. This is considered ample for any contingencies. The South American crisis has hastened the Russian Government suddenly withdrawing five millions from Messrs. Baring & Co.

London, November 18th.—Considerable uneasiness still exists in the City, and advances in the price of the discount and advances in the price of silver is feared.

New York, November 18th.—The crisis in London is reaching New York, where several large failures have already taken place.

London, November 19th.—A committee of leading merchants and bankers, including the Bank representative from the Bank of England, is being formed for the purpose of enquiring into Argentine finances. The step will further assist the Baring.

The New York stock markets continue excited, in sympathy with London, and the Argentine and Argentine sell heavily yesterday.

The Times says that the Bank of England will only recognise bills drawn by Messrs Baring's correspondents prior to last Saturday. It is probable that the firm will be relieved of the same old partners for some time.

A sum of one million sterling was sent into the Bank of England yesterday. London Stock Exchange is demoralized owing to the dearth of money, and, as the Americans are apprehensive of impending financial trouble, the market is in a state of confusion.

The Baring guarantee fund has been increased to fourteen millions.

LORD CONNELL'S RESIGNATION.

Nadras, November 10th.—The *Madras Times*, in commenting on the Government's action, says that rumor has been doing much in regard to Lord Connell's

obvious that something out of the com-  
mon was being prepared for that little sur-  
prise has been expressed. The Times ad-  
mits the general feeling among Europeans  
probably is that the Government should  
many natives will regret to part from  
Governor who has been uniformly affec-  
tious and who has never adopted the poli-  
cy of exclusiveness in favor with some of his  
predecessors. The Times gives the Govern-  
ment credit for good intentions; the specu-  
lators, says, has been willing perhaps to  
which the administration has moved in  
of which the Anglo-Indian in this  
society appears to think highly.

**DEBILITE OF THE GOLD CRAZE.**  
*Calcutta, Nov. 6th.*—The gold craze  
currently subsiding, the shares  
down in spite of the hopeful report  
by some companies, backed by sample  
specimens and washings.

**A NEW EMPLOYER FOR GOLD.**  
*Bombay, Nov. 11th.*—Dr. Azevedo  
Gouveia informs the local Press that Sr.  
Vasco Guedes, the present Gov-  
ernor of Portuguese India, has been  
called, and that General Francisco  
da Cunha is appointed instead. The  
Governor left Lisbon on the 3rd inst.

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### Quotations.

**HONGKONG, December 4.**

OPIMUM—New Patna, cash—	492 1/2
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"    New Malwa, cash—	500
"    Allowance, Teals—	24/40
"    Old Malwa, "    "    "    "    "    "	500
"    Allowance, Teals—	16/48
"    Persian, Oily, cash—	450/41
"    Allowance, Teals—	32/48
"    Persian, Paper tied—	475/50
"    Allowance, Teals—	64/80

### Exchange.

**Hongkong, December 4.**

On London—	
Bank, Wire, ... ..	3/4
" On demand, ... ..	3/4
" 30 days' sight, ... ..	—
" 4 months' sight, ... ..	3/4

On Paris—	On demand, .....	4.31
	Credits, 4 months' sight, .....	4.40
On Berlin—	On demand, .....	3.45
On New York—	On demand, .....	83
	Credits, 60 days' sight, .....	84
On Bombay—	Wire, .....	22
	On demand, .....	22
On Calcutta—	Wire, .....	22
	On demand, .....	22
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